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**PETITION FOR FOUR-MONTH EXTENSION OF
TIME AND FEE**

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for a four-month extension of time to respond to the Notice to Filing Missing Parts dated April 3, 2002. Enclosed is a charge authorization PTO-2038 in the amount of \$1,440.00 to cover the fee for the extension of time. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

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